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Settlement

Dear DOJ Representative (hopefully also Mr. Ashcroft),

I can't begin to say how disappointed I am that the DOJ came up with such a weak settlement with Microsoft. I am now officially embarrased.

After all we've been through (the trial) you are not even punishing Microsoft. Their behavior has been confirmed by your letting them off the hook. They learned they can do whatever they want and you will do nothing.

I like Microsoft software but their business practices are wrong wrong. They were found guilty (twice) and you didn't punish them at all.

I would have (and did) expect more from folks of your stature. Contrary to what must be believed (by your department) letting MS off will not help the economy. It will hurt it, because their behavior will now become even more pronounced. You have done us all (consumers) a grave disservice.

Repectfully, An Average American Citizen.

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